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NEWS RELEASE FASAB ASSISTANT DIRECTOR VACANCIES

The Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board (FASAB) has announced vacancies for two Assistant Directors at the Band III (GS-15 equivalent) level. FASAB is seeking motivated experienced people to join the research staff. In developing FASAB standards, FASAB Assistant Directors:

- Conduct research on complex federal financial reporting problems
- Study current practices, identify alternative solutions, and recommend solutions for accounting and reporting issues
- Have extensive contact with high-level individuals in government, public accounting, and academe
- Communicate about projects to Board members and constituents

Because FASAB receives its administrative services from the General Accounting Office (GAO), FASAB will accept applications through the GAO recruitment system.

Non-federal employees (non-status applicants) should apply under vacancy announcement FASAB-2004-03. (To access the announcement for non-status candidates go to: https://jobs.quickhire.com/scripts/qao.exe/runjobinfo?aOrq=3&aJob=142&Username=~BROWSE~&ORGIMG=logofasab.gif)

Current federal employees and individuals with reinstatement eligibility (status applicants) should apply under vacancy announcement FASAB-2004-04. (To access the announcement go to:

https://jobs.quickhire.com/scripts/gao.exe/runjobinfo?aOrg=3&aJob=144&Username=~BROWSE~&ORGIMG=logofasab.gif)

Please carefully read all instructions to applicants. (If you are unable to use the links in the document, visit www.gao.gov and select "Careers at GAO" to access the online application system.)

This vacancy will be open from December 16, 2003 to January 6, 2004. Specific requirements are provided in the announcement.

ABOUT FASAB

The mission of the FASAB is to promulgate federal accounting standards after considering the financial and budgetary information needs of citizens, congressional oversight groups, executive agencies, and the needs of other users of federal financial information.

Federal accounting standards and financial reporting play a role in fulfilling the Government's duty to be publicly accountable. Federal financial reports can help report users assess the government's accountability, efficiency, and effectiveness, including the consequences of the allocation and use of resources.

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